

SENATE BILL 1663

By Dickerson

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 49-6-3004, relative to instructional time.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 49-6-3004(e)(1), is amended by deleting the language "Such time may be used in whole day (six and one half (6½) hour) increments and may be used for faculty professional development, M-team meetings, S-team meetings, parent-teacher conferences or other similar meetings." and substituting instead the language "Such time may be used in whole day (six and one half (6½) hour) increments and may be used for faculty professional development, Individualized Education Program (IEP) team meetings, school-wide or system-wide instructional planning meetings, parent-teacher conferences, or other similar meetings.".

SECTION 2. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 49-6-3004(e)(1), is further amended by deleting the language "All proposals for use of excess time for professional development shall be approved by the commissioner." and substituting instead the language "All proposals for use of excess time for professional development and instructional planning meetings shall be approved by the commissioner.".

SECTION 3. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it.